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5. ([REDACTED] LIAISON Per [REDACTED] request forwarded to Chairman Adlai Stevenson, Jr. (D., Ill.), of the Senate Select Committee on Ethics, the FBI background investigation on [REDACTED] of the Committee staff.

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6. [REDACTED] LIAISON Met with [REDACTED] a GAO employee who is assigned to the House Government Operations Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security staff, to debrief him on his compartmented security clearance. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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7. [REDACTED] LIAISON In response to his call of yesterday, called Representative Bob Daniel (R., Va.) and it was arranged that the individual in the Richmond area who had information concerning Africa would contact [REDACTED] on 18 May. I provided the Congressman the phone number [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was alerted.

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8. [REDACTED] LIAISON Had several conversations during the day with Bob Boyer, House International Relations Committee staff, concerning the science and technology amendment of the State Authorization bill. Later, with the agreement of Jack Brady, Chief of Staff of the Committee, the staff inserted report language reflecting the intent of the Committee to exempt intelligence activities from the title of the bill in which the section appears. Boyer and Ivo Spalatin, also of the Committee staff, assured me that State Department had indicated to the Committee their feeling that the amendment should not and does not apply to intelligence activities.

I also met with Brady and informed him of our concern on the Case Act and the role of the ambassador amendments tied to the legislation in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. I left with Brady a short write-up on each amendment and informed him that the DDCI would want to discuss this matter personally with Chairman Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) if there was any aspect of our position which troubled him. On the role of the ambassador amendment, Brady said he endorses the ambassador as being country team leader and I said we did too but the issue here was the much narrower one but the important one of protecting intelligence sources and methods. I expressed our concern that there not be similar amendments during House consideration of the measure so that there would be the latitude of working the problem during conference. Brady expects the measure to be brought up in the House at the end of May.

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9. [REDACTED] LIAISON John Nields, House Committee on Standards of Official Conduct staff, called in follow up of my earlier meeting with himself and Representative Lee Hamilton (D., Ind.). I told Nields I had now had a chance to personally review the memorandum involved and spoke to the author with the result that I am personally convinced that that memorandum concerns sensitive sources and methods and that the memorandum in Nields' possession actually portrays the information imparted to our officer. Nields will report my conclusions to Mr. Hamilton and then determine whether he would like to have a session at Headquarters concerning this matter.

I also promised to call DOD to assure that no further entity is needed from DOD concerning identifying information.

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10. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Accompanied Thaddeus Dobrey, Department of Energy, to a session with Peter Stockton, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Subcommittee on Energy & the Environment staff, and Nancy Mathews, on the staff of Representative Richard Ottinger (D., N.Y.), in which Mr. Dobrey gave a very thorough safety briefing on the Indian nuclear device. No information on the joint operation was provided and Mr. Dobrey felt that there would be no problem in DOE preparing a general unclassified reply concerning the safety of the device. Prior to hold this session there was a clear understanding with both Stockton and Mathews that my presence at the session was merely as a facilitator and would neither be publicized nor adduced in inferences of CIA operational involvement.

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11. [REDACTED] LIAISON Earl Rieger, staff of the House Government Operations Subcommittee on Legislation and National Security, called and requested that I attend a meeting with him and Bill Jones, Committee Staff Director, to discuss the secrecy agreements which Rodger Carroll, GAO representative detailed to the Subcommittee, had signed this morning. Rieger commented that the agreements were to have been reviewed by him prior to Carroll signing them and this had not been done. I said I would be happy to attend such a meeting and he will call me early next week to set up a time.

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